MR. A. GOPALA MENON (*Director of Public Instruction*): There is accommodation for 620 pupils. The strength at the end of the last school year was 584.

English High School at Vaikom.

23. *MR. K. R. NARAYANAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether there was a proposal to shift the English High School at Vaikom to the shores of the backwater; whether any site was chosen for it and, if so, what has been done with that site?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: Yes: the site chosen near the backwater is still in the possession of the Department and it has been leased out on *Kuthagapattom*.

English High School at Vaikom.

24. *MR. K. R. NARAYANAN: Will the Government be pleased to state the number of girl students in the English High School at Vaikom during the last school year?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: 118 in Thulam 1114.

Appendix I.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 2.**

Statement by caste of Tahsildars now in service.

A.	HINDUS—		
	Brahmin	...	4
	Nair	...	12
	Other caste Hindu	...	1
	Kammala	...	...
	Nadar	...	...
	Ezhava	...	1
	Cheramar	...	...
	Other Hindu	...	...
B.	MUSLIM	...	3
C.	CHRISTIAN—		
	Jacobite	...	2
	Marthomite	...	3
	Syrian Catholic	...	...
	Latin Catholic	...	2
	S. I. U. C.	...	1
	Other Christian	...	1
	Total	...	30

N. B.—Persons on leave and on other duty have not been included in the statement.

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